



## Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board

December 30, 2015

Ms. Sally Coleman Anterra Energy Services, Incorporated 918 Mission Rock Road, Suite C-1 Santa Paula, California 93060 Certified Mail Return Receipt Requested Claim No. 7014 2870 0001 4538 0538

13267 Order Number R4-2015-0464 Order to Submit Information – The Disposal of Well Drilling Fluids, Well Completion Fluids, and Production Fluids to Land Extension Request Approval Anterra Energy Services Incorporated, Ventura County, California

Dear Ms. Coleman:

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Los Angeles Region (Regional Board) is the public agency with primary responsibility for the protection of ground and surface water quality for all beneficial uses within major portions of Los Angeles County and Ventura County. Anterra Services Incorporated operates oil and gas facilities situated within the jurisdiction of the Regional Board.

On December 18, 2015, the Regional Board issued a 13267 Order No.R4-2015-0464 (Order), directing Anterra Energy Services Incorporated to submit a technical report regarding the management of the discharges of wastes to land during drilling and completion of oil and gas wells and the discharge of fluids associated with oil and gas production and to assess the threat to water quality from such discharges. You were required to submit a technical report by January 18, 2016.

In a letter dated December 24, 2015 by Anterra Energy Services Incorporated, a two-week extension request was made to the Regional Board in order to give additional time to gather specific information required in the Order. Due to the holiday season, requests to public agencies are requiring additional time to respond, and the short notice to the operator's environmental consultant is causing delays.

Your extension request is granted. You are required to submit the technical report no later than **January 29, 2016**.

The above requirement for submittal of a technical report constitutes an amendment to the requirements of the California Water Code section 13267 Order originally dated December 18, 2015. All other aspects of the Order originally dated December 18, 2015, and the amendments thereto, remain in full force and effect. The required technical report is necessary to investigate

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the characteristics of and extend of the discharges of waste at the site and to evaluate cleanup alternatives. Therefore, the burden, including costs, of the report bear a reasonable relationship to the need for the report and benefits to be obtained. Pursuant to section 13268 of the California Water Code, failure to submit the required technical report by the specified due date may result in civil liability administratively imposed by the Regional Board in an amount up to one thousand dollars (\$1000) for each day each technical report is not received.

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If you have any questions regarding this project please contact Mr. Joshua Cwikla at (213) 576-6713 or email him at joshua.cwikla@waterboards.ca.gov

Sincerely,

**Executive Officer** 

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